

House Resolution No. 1316

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives feel it is altogether fitting and proper to pause from time to time to recognize individuals and organizations that have contributed to the welfare of this great state and its citizens; and

Whereas, Russell Straughan will be honored with a Life Membership by the Farmington Elks Lodge on March 31, 2007 in light of his diverse elective and volunteer service; and

Whereas, Russell Straughan of Farmington, Missouri, is employed by Mineral Area College and is a member of the Farmington City Council; and

Whereas, a former member of the Police Personnel Board, Russell Straughan has served on the City Council for six years and on the Farmington School Board for nine years; and

Whereas, Russell Straughan has been a highly regarded member of Farmington Elks Lodge #1765 for more than four decades, during which time he has served as Past Exalted Ruler and Treasurer of the local Lodge, Past District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler, and an invaluable participant with both State and National Elks activities; and

Whereas, Russell Straughan is the beloved husband of Terri, to whom he has been married for forty-two very happy years, and the devoted father of two children, Brian and Tracey, and the doting grandfather of two grandchildren:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, extend our congratulations to Russell Straughan on the auspicious occasion of his receiving an Elks Lifetime Membership; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for presentation to Russell Straughan.

Offered by

Representative Brad Robinson
District No. 107

Representative Steven Tilley
District No. 106

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 1316, adopted March 15, 2007.

Rod Jetton, Speaker